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Serial No.: 10/510,247)	Confirmation No.:	TBA
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I.A. App.: PCT/FR03/01046 filed April 3, 2003)	Docket No.:	IXAS-147
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For: Composition for Curing Mortar or Concrete)	Customer No.:	21832
Mixtures, Ensuring Water Retention (During)		
Setting), and Method Therefor)		

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF ERRONEOUS CLAIM OF SMALL ENTITY**STATUS UNDER 37 CFR §1.28 (c)**

Dear Sir:

The above identified application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 2004 and is currently pending before the Office. The application was filed under small entity status, and consequently the application was accorded reduced fees. Recently, the undersigned became aware that the original claim of small entity status was made in good faith, but was made in error without deceptive intent. Accordingly, it is hereby respectfully requested that the erroneous claim of small entity status be immediately corrected and converted to large entity status for future applicable fees due and payable for prosecuting the subject patent application.

The following is a tabulation of deficiencies owed as a result of the erroneous claim of small entity status from the filing of the subject application. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.28, the deficiency was calculated as the difference between the fee paid and the fee due as of the filing

date of this paper. The deficiency The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct an amount of the total deficiency owed, \$540.00, as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c)(ii), from Deposit Account No. 50-1402.

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Filing Fee	October 1, 2004	\$460.00	\$1000.00	\$540.00
Total deficiency owed:				\$540.00

No additional fees are believed to be required with the filing of this request for correction of erroneous claim of small entity status, however if any other fee is required, or otherwise necessary to cover any deficiency in fees already paid, authorization is hereby given to charge the Deposit Account No. 50-1402. If there should be any questions in connection with this request, the undersigned may be contacted at the number below.

Dated: December 20, 2004

Respectfully submitted,



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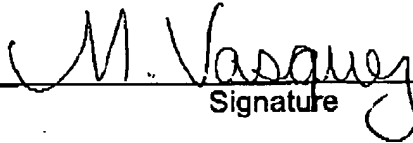
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- 1. Request for Correction of Erroneous Claim of Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.28(c)**
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